

Alabama, sell at public outcry on Monday the highest and best bidder for cash on Monday, August 1st, 1910, the following described lands, to-wit:

B $\frac{1}{2}$ of sw $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 18, Township 3, Range 21, in Coffee County, Ala.

Said sale will be for the purpose of satisfying the claims of the mortgagees set forth in said decree above mentioned.

Witness my hand on this the 28th day of June, 1910.

M. S. Carmichael,
Register in Chancery, Coffee Co. Ala.

Chancer Court Sale.

H. Simmons
vs
Rawls & Rawls
et al.

Under and by virtue of a decree of sale rendered by the Hon. L. D. Gardner, Chancellor, on Nov. 1, 1909, I will proceed to sell to the highest and best bidder, for cash, on Monday, July 18, 1910 in front of the court-house door in Elba, Ala., within the legal hours of sale, the following described lands, to-wit:

Sec $\frac{1}{4}$ of the nw $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 23, Tp. 3, North, Range 20, East, in Coffee County, Ala.

Said sale will be for the purpose of satisfying among the joint owners of said land, who are J. H. Simmons, Lebaby Simmons and Mattie Simmons.

Witness my hand on this the 22nd day of June 1910.

M. S. Carmichael,
Register in Chancery, Coffee Co. Ala.

section. None of the men sustained fatal injuries.

LATER.—Saturday morning John Davis was arrested by Deputy Sheriff Jernigan and brought to Andalusia where he was held without bail to await the injuries sustained by Alex Givens. Friday Mr. Givens became delirious, and several doctors were working to save his life.

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Mr. C. I. Stewart, of Brooklyn Route 1, was among the prominent farmers in Elba yesterday, and was a pleasant caller at The Clipper office. When asked about crop conditions Mr. Stewart said that both, cotton and corn, and in fact all crops, were looking well. He also said that he did not think the rains had damaged the cotton plant materially, that the plants were in the head and hurt much that if the rains would hold up now so that grass and weeds could be cleaned from the young cotton a good yield could be expected. Mr. Stewart is a well posted man on farming, has given it close attention, and what he has to say about the matter is well worth considering.

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There will be a graveyard working at Woodland Grove church, eight miles northeast of Elba, on the second Saturday in this month.

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comes a strained relation. The husband signs when eating pie suggestive of some kind of leather: he gives a whoop when eating soup that makes his insides run together. He never thought before he brought the blooming damsel to the altar to ask if she could cook so he could eat her grub and never fail. The bride is filled with grief and chilled with dread; the skies seem dark above her; he stays away for half a day and doesn't swear he'll always love her. Have patience, though! This phantom was will pass away as they grow younger! The bride will bake a dazzling cake, and pies to soothe her husband's hunger! And he will learn to pause and turn, when leaving for his daily duty, and tell his wife that she's his life, his solace and his dream of beauty.—Uncle Walt.

Notice.

The next state teachers examination for Coffee county will be held at Elba 18, 19, 20 inst.

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REGISTRATION NOTICE.

In accordance with the provisions of Section 305, of the Alabama Code of 1907, we will sit in the several precincts of Coffee County for the purpose of Registering voters at the following terms and places, to-wit:

At Elba, in beat 6, on July 11th, 12th, 13th, 14th, 15th and 16th, 1910.

At Victoria, in beat 10, on Monday, July 18th, 1910.

In Beat 11 (Simmons Mill) on Tuesday, July 19th, 1910.

At Cheanut Grove, in Beat 10, on Wednesday, July 20th, 1910.

At Doanville, beat 15, on Thursday, July 21, 1910.

At Tillman's Mill beat 5, on Friday, July 22, 1910.

Beat 21, (Woodland Grove) on Saturday, July 23, 1910.

In Beat 9, at New Brookton, on Saturday, July 25, 1910.

At Elba, in beat 6, on Tuesday, July 26, 1910.

In beat 4, (Childersville) on Wednesday, July 27, 1910.

In Brannen's beat No. 3 on Thursday, July 28, 1910.

In Danell's beat No. 2, on Friday, July 29, 1910.

At Elba, in beat 6, on Saturday, July 30, 1910.

In beat 12 (Centerville) on Monday, August 1st, 1910.

At Elba, in beat 6, on Tuesday, August 2, 1910.

In beat 8, at Dot, on Wednesday, August 3, 1910.

In beat 8, at Etta, on Thursday, August 4, 1910.

In beat 17, at Enterprise, on Friday and Saturday, August 5th and 6th, 1910.

In beat 6, (Elba) on Monday, August 15, 1910.

In Parker's beat No. 20, on Tuesday, August 16, 1910.

In beat 1 (Old Town) on Wednesday, August 17, 1910.

In beat 18, at Pink, on Thursday, August 18, 1910.

In beat 14 (Holley's) on Friday, August 19, 1910.

In beat 9, at New Brookton, on Saturday, August 20, 1910.

In beat 17, at Enterprise, on Monday, August 22, 1910.

In beat 17, at Goodman, on Tuesday, August 30, 1910.

In beat 17, at Enterprise, on Wednesday, August 31, and Thursday, Friday and Saturday, September 1, 2 and 3, 1910.

In beat 9, at Clintonville, on Monday, Sept. 5, 1910.

In beat 17, at Enterprise, on Tuesday and Wednesday Sept. 6 and 7, 1910.

NOTICE is further given, that as provided in Section 309 of Code of 1907, we will sit at Court House at Enterprise, on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, Sept. 26, 27 and 28, 1910, and at the Court House to Elba, on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Sept. 29, 30 and 31, 1910, for purpose of registering voters.

NOTICE is further given, that beginning on the second Monday in August 1910, August 5th, we will sit at Court House at Elba to purge registration lists and may remain in session one week, as provided in section 328 of Code of 1907; and that as provided by Sec. 325 of Code of 1907 we will sit at Court House in Elba beginning on Monday, August 22, 1910, and may remain in session one week, to determine on striking names from registration list.

W. M. ANDERSON,
W. R. W. WHITE,
J. B. WHITTAKER,
Board of Registrars, Coffee County, Ala.

EUROPE IS SWEEPED BY FEARFUL FLOOD

Towns Inundated, Property Is Destroyed, Lives Lost.

Stories of death and the sufferings of survivors are brought by refugees from the flood valley of the Ahr. The waters are rapidly subsiding, but while at their height they wrought frightful damage.

Several villages on the banks of the River Ahr were literally washed away. Houses, collapsing, buried their occupants beneath the flood. So strong was the current that it swept away locomotives and steam road rollers as a child might scatter its toys.

In some instances where the villages, driven from their homes by the waters, lacked time to reach the hillsides, they clung to the branches of trees, only to be drowned as the rising waters tore the trees up by their roots and bore them away.

Near the mouth of the Ahr river a rowing party recovered the bodies of a woman and an infant. The little one was tightly clasped in the mother's arms.

Buried Beneath Waters.

Inundations begun by swollen streams in the eastern and central districts of Switzerland have caused immense damage. A landslide at Altorf buried a factory building, killing a woman and ten children employees. Bridges swept away.

Unprecedented rains throughout Belgium have been falling in the lower lying districts, causing heavy losses. Bridges have been carried away and stock drowned. The village of Moos has been devastated.

35 Lives Lost.

Floods, following torrential rains, have caused havoc in the valley of the Morava river. Thirty-five lives have been lost. The towns of Chupria, Jagodina and Sivilatz have been inundated. Water to a depth of from seven to ten feet has filled the streets. Many houses, undermined, have collapsed.

Many Towns Flooded.

The waters of the Lake of Constance have risen rapidly, flooding the lower streets of the various towns along its banks. Railway tracks have been submerged and on several rail road lines traffic has been suspended.

GENERAL. By voting various financial measures and cutting notes out items in the annual appropriation and supply bills, Governor Hughes has reduced the annual New York state appropriation by nearly \$5,000,000. Appropriation bills passed by the state legislature totaled \$45,570,000. After they had been blue-penciled by the governor and reduced \$2,555,000 contributed to the sinking funds, the total has been reduced to \$43,015,000, a saving of \$2,555,000.

The appropriation last year amounted to \$48,242,100.

A monument to the memory of the late Dr. William H. Felton was unveiled at Cartersville, Ga., Sunday afternoon, a crowd of more than 2,000 people being in attendance at the unveiling exercises.

Through the office of state secretary at Dallas, Texas, Chairman A. B. Story, of the state Democratic executive committee, has sent out a call for the Democratic convention to be held at Galveston on August 9. All state officers are to be nominated at this convention. The campaign is very bitter between the four gubernatorial candidates, prohibition being the principal question.

President Taft has accepted an invitation to visit the Appalachian exposition at Knoxville, Tenn., the latter part of September. The date will be fixed later. The president on this trip will also visit the Tennessee state fair at Nashville.

By a vote of 4,982 to 988 the people of Birmingham, Ala., have declared for a commission form of government. The question will go to the next legislature. C. Culpepper Brown was elected mayor and George Bodeker was re-elected chief of police.

A remarkable operation has just been performed at the post-graduate hospital by which a man has been provided with an artificial jaw of pure gold to replace a jawbone destroyed by disease. The operation is said to be the first of the kind ever performed in a New York hospital. Michael Wood, 54 years old, of Greenwich, Conn., is the patient.

Charleston, S. C.'s population is estimated by the census to be about 60,000, which is something less than was expected, but which, it is thought, by the withdrawal from this city of some 10,000 negroes in the past few years. The proportion of white citizens is increased.

A Providence, R. I., dispatch says: Colonel Samuel P. Colt is a candidate for Senator Aldrich's place, according to an announcement made by General Chas. R. Braxton, the Republican boss. Senator Aldrich is said to favor the candidacy of Henry S. Lipsett.

The management of the San Antonio and Arkansas Pass railroad has granted an advance in salaries to all telegraphers on the road, amounting to about 5 per cent, and has also granted considerable concessions in the way of shorter hours.

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TWICE-A-WEEK.

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SAY NEGRO WAS SOLD FOR YEARS.

Federal Grand Jury Investigating Matter. Montgomery Advertiser.

Ada Freeman, a negro woman, with a baby in her arms, sold all her hogs in Coffee county a few days ago in order to come to Montgomery. She wanted to appear before the Federal grand jury to secure the release of her husband, who, she declared, was sold from farm to farm by the white men of Coffee county. The term of the grand jury was prolonged in order to investigate her story, and a report of their finding will doubtless be made within a few days.

The woman said her husband had been arrested in Coffee county in 1902 for carrying concealed weapons. At the preliminary hearing, a farmer appeared before the trial magistrate, and confessed judgment, paying the fine of \$125 assessed. The negro then entered into a contract, it is said, whereby he was to receive \$5 a month for his work, clothing and food. The \$5 a month was to be credited in payment of the fine which the farmer had paid to the magistrate.

Freeman, so his wife states, worked for the farmer for eighteen months, and the farmer then sold him to a neighbor at a profit, it is said. The negro was again sold, and, according to his wife, the original debate grew with each transfer. This sale of Freeman continued until three years ago, when his wife said he ran away into Florida.

His last purchaser, according to the woman's story, had Freeman indicted on the charge of breaking a contract, and also on the charge of having obtained money under false pretenses. He was brought back into Coffee county, and again entered into a contract similar to the first one.

He worked for about a year, and is said to have been transferred to another farmer, who, in his turn, sold Freeman to a neighbor. The transfer of the negro had gone on for about eight years, and the negro woman appealed to the Federal grand jury to put an end to the matter. The appeal to the grand jury came when Freeman refused to work longer, saying that the farmer refused to furnish food for the mule he worked the fields with, and further refused to allow his wife, five children and himself sufficient food. On his refusal to work Freeman was placed in the Coffee county jail at Elba, according to the negro woman's story.

On the day that Freeman's wife told her story to the Federal grand jury a writ was issued from the United States court calling upon the sheriff of Coffee county to produce Freeman as a witness before the Federal grand jury. Subpoenas were issued at the same time for various farmers of Coffee county, and they have given testimony before the grand jury for the past three days.

It is understood that the government is taking a great deal of interest in the case, for it is thought that it can be shown that the machinery of the state courts in enforcing the statute concerning these contracts for labor works great injustice, and is often misused.

Freeman is now at the Montgomery county jail awaiting action of the grand jury in the matter.

Base Ball.

Elba's second nine and Opp played ball on Elba's diamond Friday. The game had plenty of batting and errors, and the score was Elba 22 and Opp 11.

Singing at Liberty Church

The people round Liberty Church, in spite of the rain, met on the glorious fourth and spent the day in singing.

The house was called to order by L. F. Young singing song No. 88; prayer by J. N. Scarborough; introductory lesson by Marion King.

Motion that the class go into organization. Elected L. F. Young, chairman; D. G. Blair, Vice-Chairman; J. W. Rachele, Secretary and D. G. Blair, B. G. Young, G. F. Matthews, J. H. Farris, Button Hattaway, Marion King, arranging committee.

Recess ten minutes.

House called to order by chairman singing one song. Committee reported lessons of three songs each by three: Aaron Parker, Jim Johnson, Sept. Davis. Recess 10 minutes.

Called to order by chairman singing. Lessons by four, four songs each: Eli Bowden, Button Holloway, A. W. Hichman, T. D. Woodlen.

Adjourned one hour for dinner, and there was a fine dinner and plenty for all.

Called to order by chairman singing. Committee reported lessons by four, three songs each: J. M. Davis, C. O. Helms, W. F. Mathews, B. W. Smith. Recess 10 minutes.

Called to order by chairman singing three songs. Committee reported lessons by three of three songs each: J. E. Davis, D. G. Blair, W. M. Scarborough. Closed by chairman, singing song "Farewell to All." Prayer by C. O. Helms.

The following resolution was passed: Resolved, that we, the people here assembled, tender our sincere thanks to the citizens on this community for the kind and hospital treatment we have received here to-day.

Respectfully submitted by J. M. Donaldson.

J. W. Rachele, Sec.

Helms Family Reunion

The twelfth annual re-union of the family of Mrs. Martha Helms was held at her home in North Coffee of the fourth of July. There were present, from several different counties, eight children, thirty-seven grand-children, and six great-grand-children, also a large number of friends.

As is the custom the family assembled early in the day and organized a singing class, with M. W. Helms as chairman. Then followed the programme as follows:

The morning lesson was led for fifteen minutes by each of the following: T. A. Helms, J. W. Helms, A. C. Helms, J. H. Ward, M. A. Helms and A. F. Helms.

At noon an hour was given for refreshments, and a beautiful repast was thoroughly enjoyed by all present.

In the afternoon there were lessons led by Levy Johnson, Charley Helms, C. F. Corbett, then a recess of ten minutes, followed by lessons of three songs each by eight: Melvin Chapman, L. Hudson, A. J. Clowers, R. E. Culliver, Joel Helms, W. J. Wilkins, A. B. Brooks, L. J. Wood.

After a day of pleasant association and enjoyment the class was adjourned by the chairman to meet again on July 14th, 1911.

J. L. Hudson, Sec.

The devil seems to have broken loose in Alabama last week, and from all sections came news of murders, assaults, and other crimes of like kind.

Family Reunion.

The family of Mr. N. G. Baker met in re-union at the home of Mr. J. F. Patterson, in Victoria, on the 4th.

Those present were J. N. Baker and Mrs. M. A. Whitson, of Pike county; O. G. Baker, of Dale; Mrs. J. F. Patterson, Mrs. J. E. Brooks, Mrs. C. R. Tindol and J. P. Baker, of Victoria. Mrs. G. L. Smith of Opp, was the only living child not present. There were a large number of grand-children, and a few great-grand-children, with many close friends also in attendance.

The day was spent in singing Sacred Harp songs, and some fine music was made, as there are a number of good voices in the family. The dining room was so small to accommodate the crowd so the tables were spread in the yard where a fine dinner was enjoyed by all.

In the afternoon many photographs of the family in different groups were made.

Mr. Baker, head of this large family, was born in Oglethorpe, Ga., July 4th, 1838. He moved to Pike County in 1842 where he married Lucie Bontwell in 1857. He then moved to Victoria and has resided there continuously since.

In 1862 Mr. Baker enlisted in the confederate army and served through the war. He made a good soldier and was in a number of battles. He has always been a good man and a good citizen, doing his full duty to family and neighbors, and has at all times been ready and willing to help those in need.

He now resides with his daughter, Mrs. J. F. Patterson, at Victoria, and at the age of 77 still manages to get much joy out of life and to lend a helping hand on many occasions.

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Notice About Commissioners Court.

The commissioners' court meets under the law in regular sessions for the transaction of general business on the second Monday in February and August, at Elba, and on the first Mondays in April and November, Enterprise. Under the law as it was before the recent change, the July term of court that will be held at Elba beginning July 11th next, was a general law as tax term. But under the law it will be only a tax term, and persons who have bills against the county, road business and general business need not come, for at the July term only Tax matters can be passed on. This notice is given with a view to saving any persons who may have business with the court trouble of coming when it can not be taken up.

Given by order of the court. S. N. Rowe, Probate Judge.

From Double-Head.

Mr. Editor:—As the old glorious fourth, that everybody loves, has just passed again, I suppose that I had better tell you just how it happened here. As for myself I had a real glorious day.

Mr. Lee Hudson and Miss Irene Grant spent a very enjoyable day at Mrs. Helms' family reunion. They report a good time and plenty to eat.

Our school commences this morning at Double-Head, Miss Irene Grant being the teacher. We can't help but be proud of her and wishing her much success.

Mr. Cyrus and Miss Amy Ross attended preaching at Center Ridge Sunday last. They got wet but had a nice time "you bet." Ah! the good old big meeting will soon be on hand. Wont we go and eat "water millions" to a "solo finish."

Nettie P.

Court Work.

County Court is grinding on this week, the most of the time being taken up with civil cases. The criminal week's work ended on Friday, though a number of criminal cases were passed over to this week for trial.

Graveyard Working.

Parties interested in the graveyard at Dannelly's Cross Roads are requested to meet there Friday July 22nd for the purpose of working out the yard.

G. W. Clark, N. Cain, Jess Lindsey.

Rally At Sandhill.

A letter from Supt. Byrd to The Clipper states that there was a very interesting educational rally held at Sandhill school house a few days ago, and that much enthusiasm was in evidence. It was resolved to begin the erection of a new school building in a short time.

The Sandhill Brass Band furnished some splendid music for the occasion.

Report That Alabama Soldiers Will Go to Nicaragua.

Montgomery, July 10—An officer of the Alabama national guard will pick 500 men at the encampment at Chickamauga next week who will volunteer for duty in Nicaragua, according to a report which has gained currency in Montgomery.

It is declared that the officer and his men selected will sail for Nicaragua soon after the closing of the encampment. The quota will be used to bring to an end the hostilities between the forces of Estrada and Madrid. It is not stated what side the Americans will fight on. It is averred they will form the nucleus of the peace or pass army in inspiring awe by their newly acquired military knowledge.

It can not be found out from what point the expedition will sail or any probable date.

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DEATH HAS CLAIMED SENATOR DANEIL

Illustrious Virginian Answers Final Summons.

John W. Daniel, senior senator from Virginia and for more than 30 years Virginia's favorite son, died at the Lynchburg sanitarium, Lynchburg, Va., his death being due to a recurrence of paralysis.

The immediate cause of his death was a cerebral hemorrhage sustained in the right portion of his brain, involving the right side. This was in addition to the paralysis of the left side, which was sustained last winter, while in Florida.

The statesman's illness began with slight attack of apoplexy in Philadelphia last October, this keeping him from being in his seat at the opening of congress last December. Only once since that had he appeared before the audience and that was for an informal talk in January.

The end was almost without a struggle. Dissolution was very rapid, for when the final and complete failure of heart action began, it progressed with great rapidity and in five minutes the patient was dead.

John W. Daniel was elected to the United States senate to succeed General Mahone for the term beginning March 4, 1887, and was serving his fourth term at the time of his death. He was a gallant Confederate soldier, serving as chief of staff to General Jubal Early, with the rank of major. He was thrice wounded during the war, the last wound received in the Wilderness May 6, 1864, crippling him for life. He was born at Lynchburg, September 6, 1842.

JUSTICE FULLER DEAD.

Life of Noted Jurist Comes to End

Chief Justice Melville W. Fuller, of the United States supreme court, died of heart failure at his summer home in Sorrento, Me., Monday.



CHIEF JUSTICE FULLER.

The death of the chief justice was entirely unexpected, as he had been apparently in good health lately and there had been no premature symptoms of any kind of trouble. Sunday he attended church as usual, and when he retired at night he was to all appearances in his customary health.

His daughter, Mrs. Nathaniel Francis, and the Rev. James F. Freeman, who was a guest of Justice Fuller at his Sorrento cottage, "Mainstay," were with the jurist when he died.

Chief Justice Fuller was in his 70th year.

R. H. Rumble, a prominent member of the Norfolk, Va., bar, has been nominated for congress by the Republicans of the Second Virginia District in convention at Ocean View, Va. The Duke d'Alencour, grandson of King Louis Philippe, who was deposed by the revolution of 1848, died at London, England, recently.

Several American Rhodes scholars have been awarded honors for the last collegiate year at Oxford, Eng. F. D. Metzger, of Washington, takes first class honors in school jurisprudence; F. D. Griffiths, of California, F. E. Hobnan, of Utah, and W. T. Stockton, of Florida, take second class; and R. E. Blake, of Tennessee, and S. H. Blacklock, of Washington, third class.

Associate Justice William R. Moody, of the United States supreme court, who has been a patient at a hospital in Brooklyn, Mass., for several months came to Gloucester, Mass., and will spend the remainder of the summer in a cottage at Magnolia.

The Minnesota prohibition convention has nominated for governor J. F. Helberg, Twin Valley; lieutenant governor, P. D. Rude, Minneapolis.

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